IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

BRIAN MCGONIGLE

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EXAMINER: R. KALLIS

FOR: METHOD OF DECREASING LIQUIRITIGENIN-DERIVED ISOFLAVONES

RELATIVE TO TOTAL ISOFLAVONES IN PLANTS AND PLANTS PRODUCING REDUCED RATIO OF LIQUIRITIGENIN-DERIVED

ISOFLAVONES RELATIVE TO TOTAL ISOFLAVONES

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Office Action dated February 12, 2007. Reconsideration is respectfully requested and the following submitted in support thereof.